

BEFORE THE
ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF:)
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ECONODIAL, LLC,)
) No. 02-0420
Application for a certificate)
of interexchange authority to)
operate as a reseller of)
telecommunications services)
throughout the State of)
Illinois.)
Chicago, Illinois
August 1st, 2002

Met pursuant to notice at 11:00 a.m.

BEFORE:

MS. CLAUDIA SAINSOT, Administrative Law Judge

APPEARANCES:

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Appearing for applicant.

SULLIVAN REPORTING COMPANY, by
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Witnesses: Direct Cross Re-direct Re-cross By Judge

E X H I B I T S

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1 JUDGE SAINSOT: By the authority vested in me by
2 the Illinois Commerce Commission, I now call Docket
3 No. 02-0420. It is the application of Econodial,
4 LLC for a certificate of interexchange authority to
5 operate as a reseller of telecommunications services
6 in the State of Illinois.

7 Will the parties identify themselves for the
8 record, or party identify itself for the record.

9 MR. STEINHART: Yes, this is Lance Steinhart,
10 the attorney for Econodial, LLC. Address is 1720
11 Windward Concourse, Suite 250 in Alpharetta, Georgia
12 30005. Telephone phone is (660)332-9200.

13 JUDGE SAINSOT: Mr. Steinhart, would you like to
14 proceed?

15 MR. STEINHART: Yes. I have one witness today,
16 Mr. David Bianichvili; is that correct?

17 THE WITNESS: Yes.

18 MR. STEINHART: Would you like to swear him in.

19 JUDGE SAINSOT: Sure.

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1 (Witness sworn.)

2 DAVID BIANICHVILI,

3 called as a witness herein, having been first duly

4 sworn, was examined and testified as follows:

5 DIRECT EXAMINATION

6 BY

7 MR. STEINHART:

8 Q. David, could you please state your full name
9 and address for the record, please?

10 A. David Bianichvili, 3611 Fourteenth Street,
11 Brooklyn, New York 11218.

12 Q. And what is your position with the company?

13 A. I am the CO of Econodial, LLC.

14 Q. And are you familiar with the application that
15 was filed in this docket and the exhibits attached
16 thereto?

17 A. Yes.

18 Q. And are you also familiar with the prefiled
19 testimony that was filed in this docket?

20 A. Yes.

21 Q. And is the information contained in the
22 application and the testimony true and correct in

1 all material respects to the best of your knowledge?

2 A. Yes.

3 MR. STEINHART: I would like to make a motion to
4 enter the prefiled direct testimony of Mr.
5 Bianichvili into the record.

6 JUDGE SAINSOT: Your motion is granted, Counsel.
7 We will mark his prefiled testimony as the
8 Applicant's Exhibit A.

9 MR. STEINHART: Thank you. I have no further
10 questions at this time. I'll turn Mr. Bianichvili
11 over for cross examination.

12 JUDGE SAINSOT: I just have a few questions, Mr.
13 Bianichvili.

14 EXAMINATION

15 BY

16 JUDGE SAINSOT:

17 Q. For the record your company is only seeking
18 resold interexchange authority?

19 A. Correct.

20 Q. And for the record, you don't at this time you
21 have plans to use or to acquire your own facilities;
22 is that correct?

1 A. That's correct.

2 Q. And you understand that if you do purchase a
3 switch that you would have to reapply for a
4 certificate to do so?

5 A. In Illinois, yes.

6 Q. And this is a New York corporation or New York
7 limited liability company; is that correct?

8 A. That's correct. Econodial, LLC articles I
9 think is provided in Attachment B to our
10 application.

11 Q. You understand that -- and you are requesting
12 permission to keep your books and records in New
13 York, are you not?

14 A. Yes.

15 Q. You understand that by doing that, you could --
16 your company could be responsible for paying for the
17 expense of having Commission staff come out to New
18 York and audit your books?

19 A. Um-hmm, yes.

20 JUDGE SAINSOT: I have no further questions.

21 The record will be marked heard and taken, and have
22 a good day.

1 MR. STEINHART: Great, thank you very much.

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